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Applicant : Shunpei Yamazaki, et al. Art Unit : 2815
Serial No. : 09/302,679 Examiner : Lourdes Cruz
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REPLY TO ACTION MAILED JUNE 18, 2003

Claims 10-21 and 34-90 are pending in this application. The claims have been provisionally rejected for obviousness-type double patenting over claims 1-12 of copending application number 10/155,327. Though the claims of that application were allowed on June 17, 2003, applicants filed a request for continued examination and an information disclosure statement on September 11, 2003. Since the claims of the '327 patent are not presently allowed, applicants request that this rejection be held in abeyance until the claims of the '327 patent are allowed.

Enclosed is a \$950 check for the Petition for Extension of Time fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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